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Hon. Jesse M. Furman
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
Daniel Patrick Moynihan U.S. Courthouse
500 Pearl Street, Room 2202
New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: *SDL plc v. Avaya, Inc.*; Case No: 1:18-cv-07799-JMF
Referral to Court Mediation Program or Magistrate Judge

Dear Judge Furman:

Counsel in this matter jointly file this letter pursuant to the Court's Order dated January 17, 2019 (Dkt. # 22), which directs the parties to state whether referral to the Court's Mediation Program or to a Magistrate Judge for the purposes of settlement would assist them in their ongoing negotiations.

The parties continue to engage in settlement discussions and both agree that referral to a Magistrate Judge would be helpful to their efforts to resolve this matter. Thus, we respectfully request referral to a Magistrate Judge for the purposes of settlement in this matter, which centers on a certain software license and maintenance agreement.

Should the Court wish to discuss this request, the parties will make themselves available at the Court's convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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